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Danny worked as a CEDR Director (London) since 2004 and is dually qualified as a lawyer both in Australia and the UK. He has been involved in negotiation, conflict resolution training, mediation and international business for over 20 years. After completing his Masters in Commercial Law he specialised in dispute resolution and international trade.

Danny speaks Mandarin Chinese fluently and mediates regularly in Hong Kong, China and overseas. He is also an expert trainer and facilitator providing training in conflict management, negotiation, change management, unconscious bias and mediation to organisations such as the UN, ADB, IHG, World Bank and MTR.

Since 2010 he has acted the Asian Regional Mediator for the World Bank Group and in 2015 acted as the Regional Mediator to the United Nations in South East Asia. In 2009, he was appointed Director of Mediation at the United Nations in New York, mediating cases and this followed on from 2008, when he joined the United Nations Ombudsman's New York Office in as an expert adviser on the establishment of a new Mediation Division.

He is an author of many articles on ADR and negotiation; in 2013 his book "Mediation in Greater China" was published by Kluwer Law. He was Editor of "Mediation in Singapore: A practical guide" a Sweet & Maxwell publication which was launched by the Chief Justice of Singapore in March 2015.

Danny has worked as a trainer in many countries including Azerbaijan, China, Cameroon, Guyana, Hong Kong, Ireland, Mongolia, Singapore, Sweden, UK and the USA. He has taught at Singapore Management University and Kobe University Japan teaching International Dispute Resolution. He has provided consultancy to the legislatures of Hong Kong, China and Vietnam.

In 2015, Danny was included in Who's Who Legal: Mediation and in 2016 was the Winner of the International Advisory Experts Mediation Law award for Hong Kong.